

CORDIAL INVITATION

Given Kentucky Press Association to Meet at St. Louis in May, 1904.

SPECIAL LOW RATES PROMISED BY THE EXPOSITION MANAGERS.

It has been in the air since before the Lexington meeting of the Kentucky Press Association that the next annual meeting of that body would be held at St. Louis, next year in honor of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and the volunteer, popular Kentucky State Exhibit. At the State meeting the idea was presented by Mr. Arthur Y. Ford, President of the Kentucky Exhibit Association and managing editor of the Courier-Journal. The suggestion met with favor on all sides among the newspaper men, all of whom have contributed of their private capital—space and printers' ink mixed with brains—most liberally, and have made possible the success of the movement for a creditable exhibit at the Fair. Official invitation has now been given the Kentucky Press Association in a letter just received by Paul M. Moore, President of that organization, asking the Kentucky newspaper editors and publishers to meet in St. Louis during the week of May 10th 1904. The inducements offered are particularly attractive in the matter of rates and courtesies. President David R. Francis, of the World's Fair was given a promise by the Kentucky Press Association at early breakfast on its way to the West, two years ago, that the Fair should receive their support in Kentucky. This promise they have faithfully and handsomely carried out. That President Francis and the press department of the big exposition wish an opportunity to reciprocate the favor is attested in the following letter:

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 20.
HON. PAUL M. MOORE,
Pres't Ky. Press Ass'n.,
Louisville, Ky.

I am directed by President Francis to extend through you and the other officers a cordial invitation to the Kentucky Press Association to meet in St. Louis during the week beginning May 10, 1904.

It is planned to have this week known as the World's Press Parliament Week. The Inside Inn, located on the Exposition grounds, with 250 rooms, will cut its rates one-half for editorial association visitors at this time and other hotels will also give reduced rates. Rail will be provided for your sessions, admission tickets will be furnished and every possible courtesy shown. The National Editorial Association and several state and territorial associations have already voted to meet in St. Louis. Some of the greatest foreign journalists, editors and publishers of the leading newspapers of Europe will be present during the week and participate in the World's Press Parliament. Every effort will be put forth to make the occasion the most notable in newspaper history. I am particularly solicitous that my friends of the Kentucky Press Association should meet in St. Louis and participate in the Press Parliament. Please take the matter up with the proper officials and advise me regarding their decision, which I trust will be favorable.

The Exposition will be in full blast, buildings, exhibits and the Pike, at the time indicated, and May will be the ideal month to visit it.

Sincerely yours,
WALTER WILLIAMS,
Comm'r to the Foreign Press.

No paper of standing and influence that we have seen indorses the Tillman verdict. On the contrary criticism of the murderer and the jury is almost universal.

BALLOT PAPER FOUND.

And We Will Have an Election in Kentucky Next Month.

Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 17.—The paper on which the official ballot will be printed was temporarily lost in transit, but was located at Indianapolis, Ind., last night. It will arrive in Louisville today and be distributed to the county clerks from there by express. The law fixes Monday as the date on which the paper shall be furnished, and it may be a day or so late in the remote counties.

Capt. Ewen Goes on the Lecture Platform.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 17.—B. J. Ewen, the star witness for the Commonwealth in the case of Jett and White for the assassination of James B. Marcum at Jackson last May, has prepared to start on a lecturing tour of the North and West, opening in Ohio at some point next Wednesday. An advance representative, with posters of Breathitt county and Jackson, showing the places where the different assassinations took place, has been sent ahead to bill the different towns where lectures will be given. Mr. Ewen will deliver about 150 lectures on the present tour.

SUES INSURANCE COMPANY.

Mr. W. A. Nibbel Says He Has Paid Excessive Premiums.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 17.—Mr. W. A. Nibbel, of this city, has filed a suit in Louisville to enjoin the annulling of a policy of insurance in the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association. In the petition he alleges that his policy guarantees that the maximum shall be \$50.00 per year, but for several years he has been paying nearly \$50.

He asks that the courts prevent the canceling of the policy for failure to pay this premium, and also asks that he be given judgment for amounts paid in excess of the contract premiums.

Time for Typhoid.

This is the season of the year when typhoid fever, the most dreaded and deadly of all diseases, is rampant. Look at the water supply; see that sanitary conditions are perfect. Typhoid fever is a filthy disease, and can not live where perfect cleanliness of premises and purity of water supply prevail. God's greatest blessing to mankind is health. Filth is always inexcusable; when it brings death to loved ones it is a crime.

Wealthy Kentuckian Follows Dowdism.

Danville, Ky., Oct. 17.—Thomas Metcalfe, converted to Dowdism, has disposed of his vast estates in this and Lincoln counties, and will leave next week for New York to join the reputed Elijah 11. in his crusade against vice in the metropolis. Later he will return with the Host to Zion City, where he expects to make his abode. Mr. Metcalfe is one of the wealthiest men in Central Kentucky, and is a substantial citizen in other respects.

Pa's Opinion.

Little Willie—Say, pa, this paper tells about a man who paraded his misfortunes. How can a man do that?

Pa—Well, he might do it by escorting his wife, her mother and her two maiden sisters to church, my son.

The postmasters will please devise some plan by which the man who "is sure there must be a letter in the office" for him can always be supplied with the letter he wants.

CONFESSES TO PERJURY.

Conspiracy Shown to Extort Money From Large Contractors by Labor Union Agent.

PROMINENT ATTORNEY IS INVOLVED.

New York, October 17.—Henry Farley, a walking delegate, who is waiting trial on an indictment for perjury, committed in testimony he gave during the trial of Samuel Parks, is said to have made a startling confession. Numerous cases are enumerated in his statement of walking delegates in this city and surrounding towns having successfully conspired to extort money from contractor and builders to avoid strikes or have them called off. The cases are related in minute detail. Farley asserts that in one instance \$50,000 was procured from W. E. D. Stokes to stop interference with the building of the Ansonia hotel, at Seventy-third street and Broadway.

The confession was made to District Attorney Jerome in the presence of several assistants. Its telling occupied many hours. Farley asserts that the perjury with which he is charged was committed at the instance of a prominent lawyer. It consisted in his swearing that Parks and he did not meet at any time on a day during which the prosecution had asserted that Parks received \$200 from a Brooklyn contractor to avoid a strike. Farley admits, it is said, that the money was given in his presence, first in the form of a check, which was refused, and later in cash.

Farley was indicted after the Parks trial and remained for some weeks in prison, while his wife suffered from lack of the necessities of life. He was released on bail after the return of Parks from the Kansas City convention, and through an understanding with the district attorney's office his trial on the perjury charge has been postponed until the next term of court. He said his confession was given purely to relieve his conscience and was only accepted by the district attorney in that spirit and with the distinct understanding that it did not involve immunity.

The district attorney is in possession of the name of the attorney in the case, together with the names of all the walking delegates alleged to be involved, and disbarment proceedings are promised in connection with the other developments.

More Strike Breakers at Cripple Creek.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Oct. 17.—A second installment of Missourians is expected from the Coeur d'Alene district, Idaho, Monday to take the place of striking miners at Cripple Creek. A train load, 400 to 500 in all, is expected soon. They left various parts of Missouri to enter the Idaho field. Their coming to Cripple Creek will increase the number of nonunion men at work in the mines to 2,000.

Gun Club Shoot.

The following was the score out of twenty-five targets Thursday:
Cal Martin.....16
H. Bourland.....16
H. Kowen.....16
Brown.....16
J. Ligon.....17
Renfrow.....18
Warner.....19
C. Morgan.....20
Taylor.....21
Bartley.....22
Bartley.....23
Bartley.....24
Bartley.....25
C. Robinson.....26

MRS. TURNER E. RUBY.

Funeral at Madisonville Saturday. Lovable Woman's Sad Death.

The death of Mrs. Turner E. Ruby, wife of Mr. Turner E. Ruby, of Madisonville, has been expected and occurred at Georgetown Thursday of last week, at the home of her mother. It was a pathetic death of a loving young wife and a sad blow to the bereft husband, to whom goes out great and general sympathy of his many friends in Hopkins county and elsewhere. A little girl is left to brighten the pathway of the father.

Funeral services at the family residence in Madisonville were conducted Saturday afternoon by Rev. S. F. Fowler and the interment at Odd Fellows' cemetery followed. The love of many friends was attested by the numerous beautiful floral offerings and by their presence.

COL. POWERS HURT.

Louisville Banker Slightly Injured at Reno, Nev., in Railroad Accident.

Reno, Nev., Oct. 18.—Col. J. D. Powers, of Louisville, President of the United States Trust Company, was injured yesterday in Reno. The special train in which he and a number of other bankers were traveling, on their way to San Francisco, to attend the bankers' convention, broke in two just in front of the depot. Col. Powers was stepping from one coach to the other, and fell between the cars. He retained his presence of mind, and though a portly and elderly man, succeeded in rolling off the track just as the wheels of the following coach grazed his shoulder.

Killed Two Men in Two Weeks.

Paducah, Ky., Oct. 19.—Will Nutty, aged twenty-five, a horse jockey, of New Columbia, Ill., was shot and killed over the Stag saloon as the result of a "crap" game about 12 o'clock last night by Willis Mount, a former saloon-keeper, who was a resident of Paducah, but recently had a saloon at Edgelyville, Lyon county. Mount shot Nutty first in the mouth and then in the back. He attempted to fight others, but was arrested and locked up.

This is the second man Mount has killed within the past two weeks, the other being Will Jackson, colored, whom he shot twice in a saloon and for whose killing he was exonerated. The inquest will be held this afternoon.

No reason is known for the killing of Nutty. It is said not a word passed between them.

H. S. Canfield Commits Suicide.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—H. S. Canfield, writer and newspaper man, committed suicide last night at the West Chicago Sanitarium by cutting his throat with a razor while temporarily insane. Mr. Canfield was taken to the sanitarium Thursday evening.

Mrs. Barnhill, Secretary.

At the seventh annual convention of the Kentucky Division, Daughters of the Confederacy, held at Owensboro last week, Mrs. W. J. Barnhill, of Madisonville, was chosen second vice president. Mrs. Basil W. Duke, of Louisville, is president. The next meeting will be held at Paducah.

If we had Vesuvius in this country some enterprising show manager would have secured the necessary concessions long ago and had it fenced in with an assortment of pretty girls, roller coasters and other amusements.

Sometimes an angry fool bawls after one has parted with it.

CARLETON ELLINGTON

Meets Instant Death Under Wheels of an Engine in Railroad Yards at This Place.

HAD ONLY BEEN HERE AN HOUR.

Carl Ellington, a young man apparently 28 or 30 years old, from Chattanooga, arrived in Earlinton on No. 52 last Thursday, supposedly looking for work. He went down in the railroad yards to look the situation over and was walking up the track with Foreman of water power Kinny when an engine backing up from the coal tipple ran over him, killing him instantly. Mr. Kinny jumped from the track just in time to save himself, and it is supposed Ellington was looking at a train coming from the South and did not hear the warning from the engine behind him in time to escape. Ellington's people reside in Chattanooga, and his remains were shipped to that place for burial. The unfortunate man had not been here quite an hour when he met his death.

DECIDED TRIUMPH FOR L. & N.

Has Been Assessed too High by State Board. Federal Court so Holds.

The decision handed down Tuesday in the United States Circuit Court in Cincinnati is a decided triumph for the Louisville & Nashville railroad. The question involved was one of assessment of the L. & N. properties in the State of Kentucky, the claim of the railroad company being that as individuals they were only taxed upon an assessment based on 80 per cent. of the property involved, and the railroad was taxed to the full extent of its property, the assessment constituted discrimination, as prohibited in the fourteenth amendment of the Federal Constitution, which guarantees equality to all citizens.

The court reached the conclusion that the Louisville and Nashville property in Kentucky was of the value of \$33,788,724.50. This valuation was arrived at by taking the total net receipts on the whole system and capitalizing it at 6 per cent., then taking 26 per cent. as Kentucky's proportion, based on the mileage owned, operated, leased, or controlled in and out of the State of Kentucky.

In this connection the court held that where one corporation owns a majority of stock in another corporation, with the powers incident to that holding, such, for example, as the election of a Board of Directors, it controls the corporation within the meaning of the statute.

In this opinion the court followed the recent decision in the Northern Securities case.

Lucien Earle's Son Dies of Appendicitis.

The sad news of the death of Lucien H. Earle, son of Judge Lucien Earle, of Los Angeles, Cal., formerly of Madisonville, has been received by relatives at the latter place. The young man was fifteen years old and is said to have possessed many of the traits of character which have blessed his father and grandfather before him. Death was caused by appendicitis.

One thing which should restrain the Turkish Bulgarians from war is that no matter who wins neither will have much to say about the terms of peace. The "ambassadors" will attend to that.

GONE HOME.

Mrs. Mary Welch Dies From a Paralytic Stroke Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Welch, aged 78, mother of Mrs. L. H. O'Brien, of this city, died at the residence of her son-in-law L. H. O'Brien at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. Welch had been in ill health for some time from a paralytic stroke but had partially recovered from its effects and until a short time ago was thought to be slightly better. Wednesday morning about 3 o'clock the attack was renewed and she died at 7. Mrs. Welch was born in Christian county in the Churchill neighborhood in 1830 and lived the most of her life in Hopkinsville. She was a devout member of the Catholic church and a good christian woman. She leaves one child, Mrs. L. H. O'Brien, who has the sympathy of her numerous friends in her bereavement. Funeral services were conducted at the Catholic church by Rev. Father Coenen after which the remains were conveyed to Hopkinsville and interred by the side of her husband who died many years ago.

Advertising.

Advertising is an art, and it pays to advertise all the time. Of course there are times when advertising pays better than others, but the secret of successful advertising is to keep your business constantly before the public, telling them in as few words as possible what you want them to know. As a rule people do not read lengthy advertisements unless they are unusually attractive. Space is the main object. It is better and more profitable to use sixty inches in saying ten words than to use ten inches to say sixty words. There is nothing that catches the people and holds their attention like originality in advertising. Consequently be original, be concise and brief if you would make advertising a profitable investment.

"Peck's Bad Boy."

While there were some redeeming features in this play they were few and far between. Some of the specialties were good. For instance, the gentleman who played two cowboys simultaneously and the rubber dance, but taken as a whole it was about on an average with "A Star Boarder." Some of the songs were original and suggestive, and we do not think this play worth so many words. "Peck's Bad Boy" would do very well for "Cook's Park" and other beer gardens, but it did not stir the refined and cultured people of Earlinton.

Stanley-Curtis.

Mr. Horace Stanley and Miss Nellie Curtis of this city eloped to Nashville, Tenn., last Monday morning where they were quietly married. The groom is an employee of the St. Bernard Mining Co., and is an industrious young man. The bride is a well known young lady of this city.

Will Board at Edgelyville.

Sheriff W. E. Ashby passed through Saturday with McNary Hayes, Ed. Moore, Chas. Caswell and Robert McCoombe, all colored, who were sent to the pen at the pen at the last term of court for house-breaking. All of them were given a term of two years, except McCoombe, who was given three.

MASSONS TO DECORATE THEIR LODGE ROOMS.

Recently Remodeled Quarters in Masonic Temple.

The Earlinton Masonic bodies are preparing to paper and decorate their commodious quarters in the Masonic Temple and plan to have, when finished, rooms as comfortable and attractive as may be found in a day's pilgrimage in this section. The new wall paper is here and the decorators have been engaged to put it on in approved fashion.

Earlington Masons are perennially active and their number constantly increases. Their quarters have recently been remodelled and are now conveniently arranged for the use of Blue Lodge, Chapter and Commandery. Each of these bodies is busy with new candidates.

Our Second Fall Season

in Madisonville will be inaugurated by one of the Greatest Price Cutting sales ever held in the county. Owing to our operating several stores and buying in very large quantities we are prepared to sell goods at lower prices than any other house here.

To those who have traded with us before and to many new friends we expect to make, will say that we deal fairly with everyone and always give more goods for less money than any other house in Hopkins county. Below we quote a few sample prices.

Sale starts Wednesday Morning, Oct. 14, at 8 O'Clock.

Special.	Hats! Hats!	Shoe Specials.	Special.
Best Calicoes, only a limited quantity to each customer, per yard 4½¢. Cotton Batting per roll 6¢.	Boys' good Wool Hats, sale price 25¢. Good Men's Hats in black, brown and gray, 90¢.	A Man's good \$1.25 Brogan Shoe for only 90¢. A Man's fine Calf Shoe, regular \$1.75; sale price 1.25. A splendid all leather hand sewed \$2.00 Shoe, sale price 1.50. All our regular \$3.00 Shoes will go during this sale for 2.50. All our \$5.50 and 4.00 Shoes will go during this sale for only 3.00. The best Ladies' \$1.50 Shoe on the market during this sale 98¢. All leather Ladies' heavy Shoe, sewed and braided, regular price \$1.75, sale price 1.00. Ladies' fine dress Shoe, velv. kid, patent tip, regular price \$2.00, sale price 1.25. A good extension sole sewed Shoe, heavy velv. welt sole, regular price \$2.25, sale price 1.33.	A lot of Youths' Long Pants, selling for \$1.00; during this sale 70¢ a pair. Two dozen pair, regular price \$1.75; sale price 90¢. Boys' good heavy Shirts, 35¢ goods; sale price 22 CENTS. A lot of Boys' Winter Caps, regular 25¢ kind; sale price 10¢. Men's Brown Linen Overshirts with Cuffs, regular price 75¢; sale price 39 CENTS. Ladies Sateen Undershirts, regular price \$1.00; during this sale 69 CENTS. Finest line of Dress Skirts in town at reduced prices.
75 CENT Men's Fleece Lined Work Shirts, sale price 19 CENTS. About one dozen Ladies' Tailor Made Suits, regular price \$8.50. During this sale \$3.99. Just what you need, a good Comfort. Sale price 90¢. Extra large Comfort, you pay \$2.00 for them elsewhere, sale price \$1.10.	Clothing Bargains. Men's, Youths' and Children's High Grade Clothing at wholesale prices. Three hundred pairs of Men's Odd Pants at about half their real value. A few Men's and Boys' Odd Coats and Coats and Vests at less than cost of manufacture. A big line of Trunks, Suit Cases, Telescopes, Valises—25¢, 40¢, 60¢, 75¢ and 90¢. A lot of Satchels and Grips at reduced prices.		

Remember the Name and Place. It's the

Hertzman Dry Goods Company,

Dempsey Block, Racket Store Old Stand,

MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY.

IN THE INTEREST

OF THE

Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Edited by a White Ribboner.

Cranks.
All the politicians tell us, and of course they ought to know, That the cause of Prohibition hasn't got the slightest show, We can never win the battle, even if our cause be right, And that no one but a crank would think of keeping up the fight.
CHORUS:
To be real frank, I'd rather be a crank, And stand right square on the Prohibition plank. Than to be in the rank of the blank-ety, blank, blank, Who votes the self-same ticket as the mountebank.
We are very visionary and impractical, they say, Since we can not see as they see, and accept their better way, We would cease our agitation, and accept what we could get, If we were not as they say we are, a foolish, cranky set.

Chorus.
If we only had a grain of sense and took them at their word, We would not become a laughing stock, make ourselves absurd, We would whop it up for tariff, or for silver, or for gold, Or for anything but temperance—at least, so we are told.

Chorus.
Well, perhaps they may be right—and then again, they may be wrong, And perhaps we are a set of cranks, this conflict to prolong, But until this mighty question has been settled in the right, We propose to still continue cranks, and erry on the fight.
Chorus.
—Chas. M. Philmore.

The W. C. T. U. of Earlinton will meet next Tuesday afternoon at half past two o'clock with the president, Mrs. Kate Withers. All friends of temperance are most cordially invited.

Methodists and Catholics.
The fifty-sixth annual meeting of

the St. Louis conference of the M. E. Church, South, at Farmington, Mo., held a rousing temperance rally on Sept. 24, at which Bishop Galloway presided and Father T. J. Coffey, of the Catholic church, St. Louis, was the chief speaker. It is said that he delivered a most remarkable address which was most heartily endorsed by the great audience present.
Among other things, he said: "Not alone is the salvation of a man's soul and body wrapped up in the solution of the liquor problem, but the very existence of religion itself. The church that is not up in arms against the liquor traffic is not true to the interests of the Savior of mankind. There can be no compromise here."

"The brewing and distilling interests of America are antagonistic to the church and religion and they will crush the church if the church does not crush them."

In conclusion he said: "Gentlemen of the St. Louis Conference, don't mistake the attitude of the Roman Catholics on this momentous liquor question."

"An Ireland, of St. Paul; an Elder of Cincinnati; a Keane, of Dubuque; a Spalding, of Peoria; a Ryan, of Philadelphia, have spoken in no uncertain accents on the evils of the liquor traffic in America. Recently an aged priest of the diocese of Cincinnati, visited every training school of the Catholic clergy in the States and Canada, and has organized large and flourishing total abstinence societies among the young aspirants to the Catholic priesthood."

"Many of our bishops, east, west, north and south, pledge all the children of the annual confirmation classes. All this augurs well for the future of the great temperance fight that is now on. Let us not find fault with one another, but let us give comfort and aid in the cause whenever possible. Let us come nearer to one another, for this union alone will give us the strength needed in the great battle for souls, for Christ and for our country."

candidates have been elected on the straight Prohibition ticket during the last three years.

A Remarkable Record.

Company E, of the Fifty-first Iowa Volunteer Infantry in the Spanish war was mustered in at the beginning of the war, was in camp over thirty days at Des Moines, six months at San Francisco, and was then sent to active service in the Philippines.

From the twelfth day of November, 1898, until the twenty-second day of September, 1899, it was in service in the islands, first in Iloilo and then in Cavite. It did outpost duty at Cavite, San Roque, Manila and Manila, took part in seventeen engagements, and returned to San Francisco without losing a man.

Is not this a remarkable record? Let us see if it can be explained. One Sunday after the company had been organized it attended the First Methodist Episcopal Church at Shenandoah, Iowa, in a body. The pastor delivered a most earnest address. An opportunity was given for those who would do so sign the total abstinence pledge. Every man in the company signed it and every man kept it. The dives of Des Moines were made none the richer by money from this company. The saloons outside of the Presidio made no difference to them. Their blood was clean and the plague and the cholera and the dampness and heat of the Philippines made no difference to them.

Who can look at these men and then talk about the advantages to be gained by guzzling beer? If the government only had an entire army with such an admirable physique, wouldn't it be glorious?

Great Opportunity

Afforded the prospector, house seeker or tourist, account of the very low Colonist and Home Seeker rates to points in Arkansas, Texas, Indian and Oklahoma Territory, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and the great Western States, via Missouri Pacific Railway or Iron Mountain Route, from St. Louis or Memphis. Cheap Colonist rates to California and the Northwest, effective daily Sept. 15 to Nov. 30, 1903. Every first and third Tuesdays of each month, Colonist and Home Seeker rates to certain territory in the West and Southwest. Liberal limits and stop over privileges for Home Seekers. Personally conducted Pullman Tourist sleepers to California; free repelling chair cars. For rates, map folders, descriptive literature, free consult nearest ticket agent, or address R. T. O. MATTHEWS, Room 302 Equitable Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

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THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

The Dorf's Black-Draught has saved doctors' bills for more than sixty years. For the common family ailments, such as constipation, indigestion, hard colds, bowel complaints, chills and fever, biliousness, headaches and other like complaints no other medicine is necessary. It invigorates and regulates the liver, assists digestion, stimulates action of the kidneys, purifies the blood, and purges the bowels of foul accumulations. It cures liver complaint, indigestion, sour stomach, diarrhoea, chills, rheumatic pains, aches, backache, kidney trouble, constipation, diarrhoea, biliousness, piles, hard colds and headaches. Every drug-gist has The Dorf's Black-Draught in 25 cent packages and in man-made use for \$1.00. Never accept a substitute, insist on having the original made by the Chattanooga Medicine Company.

I believe The Dorf's Black-Draught is the best medicine on earth. It is good for any and everything. I have a family of twelve children, and for four years I have kept them on feet and healthy with no other but Black-Draught. A. J. Green, Havana, La.

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Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Enrich Your Breads With Cereals. Every 100 lbs. of flour contains 10 lbs. of cereals. If C.C.C. flour, cereals are added, 100 lbs. of flour will make 110 lbs. of bread.

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THURSDAY, OCT. 22, 1903.

It doesn't pay to fool with Uncle Sam. In Tennessee a culprit, who tore down a rural delivery mail box, was given a year and twelve days in the penitentiary. Of course he was tried in the United States Court.

The sympathy of the entire Kentucky Press goes out to Editor Sattin, of the Owensboro Inquirer, in the loss of his estimable wife, who died Saturday after a long illness. The Bee joins in sincere condolence.

This people of Kentucky have this year a weighty duty to perform. They must elect a circuit judge from each of the thirty districts in the state. It is a more important question, what sort of men shall preside in our courts, than who shall be Governor of all the people. Let us hope that good candidates have generally been chosen and that the voters will elect only the best men to these high offices.

There is hope yet that we are travelling toward the millennium. Lawyers have begun in spots a threatening to purge the bar of some of the most villainous of the multitude of slysters. In New York disbarment proceedings are promised against a "prominent" attorney who is said to have prompted a walking delegate to perjury in the trial of the labor brigand, Samuel Parks. In Denver the Colorado bar association are planning a crusade against the "quick divors" attorneys of Colorado, to put them out of business.

In an evil moment John Alexander Dowie, Jr., son of the defendant, applied the epithet of "d—d fool" to a player in his Zion City baseball nine who made a silly play. "Elijah of Zion" was summoned and gave the young man chastisement before the public throng. The New York people at Dowie's opening Madison Square performance have labeled him as his son did the baseball player, but they thought he and not they required chastisement and proceeded to administer it themselves publicly. About four thousand people walked out of the place while Dowie shouted to his guards to shut them in.

We don't know why, but the Hustler says in its last issue:

"We want your old rags, such as old dresses, underwear, etc. Will pay what is right for them."

We desire to assist our brother publishers in whatsoever way we may and take pleasure in reproducing the above notice in order that both they and our readers may be benefited. The publishers of the Hustler are gentlemen of their word and we assure The Bee's readers that the Hustler will give full value received for all they may buy. To our own mind the offer is most timely. The publisher of The Bee is preparing to move into a new home to take up new duties of householder. And at moving time it is good to have an opportunity to dispose of a few old things. We warn our readers that we are making up a bundle and shall be on the market. They had better act early.

Some people have an idea that everything that happens should be published in a newspaper provided it does not concern them. This is a mistake. There are a great many things an editor hears and sees that he says nothing about. There are matters that are a great deal better for not being published to the world. It is not the purpose of The Bee to cause unnecessary heart aches or tears, but rather to do all the good it can. A newspaper should always publish the news when it is news, but no newspaper should willfully emphasize the misfortunes or faults of an unfortunate being.

This Will Interest Many.

To quickly introduce B. B. B. (Baltimore Blood Balm), the famous blood purifier, into new homes, we will send absolutely free 10000 treatments. B. B. B. quickly cures all ulcers, scrofula, painful swellings, aches and pains in bones or joints, rheumatism, catarrh, plagues, feasting eruptions, boils, skin diseases, itching skin or blood humors, eating, bleeding or festering sores and even deadly cancer. B. B. B. at drug stores. For free treatment address Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Medicine sent at once, prepaid. Describe trouble and free medical advice given until cured. B. B. B. cures the most severe cases, after all else fails. B. B. B. heals every sore and makes the blood pure and rich.

Are You Going West.

Beginning September 15th, and continuing every day thereafter until November 30th, there will be a special rate to all points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and British Columbia. For maps, rates, routes and other information write at once to Ira F. Schwelgel, District Passenger Agent, Wisconsin Central Ry., 407 Traction Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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Illinois Central R. R.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Free Transportation to Attend the Annual Meeting at Chicago.

Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at its offices in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 21, 1903, at twelve o'clock noon.

To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered on the books of the Company at the close of business on Tuesday, September 29, 1903, who is of full age, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free out and consequently should receive their liberal patronage.

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

Some business men say, "I know that advertising is all right; and makes business; but I can't afford it. It's too expensive." A prosperous business man cannot afford to be without it. A good advertisement costing from \$50 to \$100 per month will sell several times as many goods as the salesman who draws such a salary. As an experiment, take the same amount you pay your best salesman and put it into good common sense advertising for three months. That money if spent with The Bee will take your store news into many thousand people who have money to spend every week and tell them why they should visit your store or use your goods. Don't be afraid to try it. Look at the most successful men in this country. They tried it and won.

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We want a boy in every town to work for us after school hours and on Saturdays. Over 3000 boys now at the work. Some make \$10.00 to \$15.00 a week.

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SPECIAL RAILROAD EDITION.

The Bee Will Issue Illustrated Number Devoted to Henderson Division L. & N.

INTERESTING HISTORIC DATA WILL BE PUBLISHED FOR FIRST TIME.

This Bee's special railroad edition will be one of the best railroad papers ever issued in Kentucky. In addition to the personal write-ups of the railroad men of the Henderson Division and their rail-tones out, it will contain views of important railroad buildings along the line, such as the new passenger station at Evansville, the round-houses at Howell and Earlington, the depot at Earlington and other places and views of passenger and freight trains. A complete history of the Henderson Division from the time it was surveyed up to the present time, the changes it has undergone and a great deal of interesting railroad data will be given in this edition.

A great many of the men on the division have already subscribed for copies of the special railroad edition and others are subscribing every day. We wish to make this a thoroughly creditable special edition of The Bee and want the co-operation of every railroad man on the Henderson Division. It is got up in their interest and benefit, and consequently should receive their liberal patronage.

W. F. Sheridan, our recent train master said before he left for Mexico that a railroad paper of this character was worth \$5 to any H. D. railroad man now and in the course of time would be worth \$20, on account of the personal write-ups of the men if nothing else.

All of the dispatchers, including the chief, several conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen have already signed contracts for copies of the edition. Foreman L. H. O'Brien is a subscriber, as is also Mr. Walsh and Supt. Jno. W. Logsdon, of Evansville. We want every employee of the H. D. to get this edition of The Bee and feel sure it is well worth the price asked.

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heals lungs and stops the cough.

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And all symptoms and Results of Indigestion

Absolutely removed by the use of

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Mr. E. B. H. has a general merchant of Moundsville, Ky., who has suffered for years from constipation and indigestion, and was compelled to try Dr. Carlstedt's Germany Liver Powder. He gave it a single trial, when he began to feel better at once. Freshened with clean, soft stools, he was surprised to find himself cured of the most chronic of bodily ailments. He is now a well man and does not use any more medicine. He is advised to his neighbors to give it a trial, carrying at the top of their flagstaff the stars and stripes in their natural red, white and blue.

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The Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis Railway has just had completed for distribution a large order of pictures of the Balilesh Kentucky, which is a work of art and should be in every Kentucky home. The picture is produced from a very fine, large, copyrighted photograph by Mr. Enrique Mueller, the official photographer for the United States Navy, taken as the ship is leaving New York harbor for a cruise. It is done in colors, the grey lighter slowly plowing its way through the carefully shaded green of the sea, and carrying at the top of her flagstaff the stars and stripes in their natural red, white and blue.

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THE OLD RELIABLE
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If you want a First Class, Up-to-date job of painting of any kind, call on Yours Truly,
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Who Has Learned?
Will the dear, long-suffering public ever learn wisdom and prudence and become provident? The long periods of zero-suffering to which a large portion of the public is subjected annually should teach a lesson, and the people should rise in their might and change the worn, old adage about hay to read:
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FT. LEAVENWORTH PRISON MURDER

The Five Leaders Charged with Killing Guard Waldrup Found Guilty of Murder.

THEY WILL EACH BE SENTENCED TO IMPRISONMENT FOR LIFE.

The Principal Point Offered in Their Defense Was That They Were Cruelly Treated, and Preferred to Face Death in an Attempt to Escape Than Endure Torture.

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 17.—All five leaders of the Fort Leavenworth prison mutiny of November, 1901, charged with killing Guard Waldrup, were found guilty of murder by a jury in the United States court here, Friday morning, without capital punishment, and will be given life sentences. The prisoners are Gilbert Mullins, Turner Barnes, Frank Thompson, Fred Robinson and Robert Clark, all deserters from the army. Mullins was practically flogged for his part at the time of the outbreak, and the others were short term men.

All are from Indian territory. The defense set up the plea that the men were in the federal prison as criminals treated, and that the men who took part in the mutiny were not to be held responsible for the actions of the men who had been transferred. In the mutiny, 28 prisoners escaped after a fierce fight with the guards during which several of the convicts were shot. All but one of the convicts were finally captured, although three of them were shot in engagement with posse.

In his instructions to the jury, Judge Riser said that the fact that the men were felons undergoing punishment for crime should count nothing for or against them in determining the weight of their evidence.

ROYAL BATTLE WITH A WHALE

The Sea Monster Was 110 Feet Long and Fought His Captors For Twenty-One Hours.

New York, Oct. 18.—The whaling steamer Humber has arrived here, says a St. John's (N. E.) dispatch, for repairs from damage done by a whale. The whale was 110 feet long, the last of 20 hours.

When the monster was harpooned it started towing the vessel at the rate of seven miles an hour, though the crew were reversed full speed, which under ordinary conditions would mean a retrograde movement of about eight miles. This continued for hours, the ship, as the whale flew off in zigzag courses, being almost towed under the water, the sea washing the decks. Several times the captain was on the point of cutting the cable, but at the windlass held and the whale finally gave up the struggle.

COULDN'T FIX THE MARSHAL.

Four Would-Be Bank Robbers Accused of Killing a Marshal at Woonsocket, N. D.

Woonsocket, S. D., Oct. 17.—An attempt was made to rob the Citizens National bank here Thursday night. Four strangers arrived in the evening, and one of them offered the city marshal \$1000 if he would keep quiet, saying they intended to rob the bank then steal a horse, drive to Washington Springs and rob the bank there. The other arrested the four men.

NEW PAPAL SECRETARY.

Pope Informs Prelate by Letter of His Recession to Cardinal Rampello.

Rome, Oct. 19.—The pope has appointed Mr. Mery del Val papal secretary of state. The announcement of this appointment was made in a letter presented by the pope to Mr. Mery del Val. The nomination, however, will not be made officially until the consistory, when the monsignore will also be made a cardinal.

PRINCE FERDINAND NEXT.

Macedonians Decide to Continue Their Programme of Isolated Assassinations.

Salonica, Oct. 18.—Recent advice received here says that the Macedonian committees have decided for the present to continue their programme of isolated assassinations. Reports arriving from Sofia say the murder of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has been decided on and the Russian consul-general here is said to be in great danger.

Declined Will Thanks.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 17.—The death of William Brewster, director of the department of the interior, recently vacated by Capt. A. C. Cattle, and has declined the same with thanks.

NATURALIZATION SCANDALS

Police Captain Boyd Accused of Complicity and Arrested

Indictments Fanned Against Four Members of Jefferson Club on Same Charge—All Give Bail.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.—Police Captain Samuel J. Boyd, Thomas E. Barrett, former marshal of the St. Louis court of appeals and a member of the democratic state committee; John Dolan, chairman of the democratic city central committee; Adolph Fein and Jacob Weisman, members of the Hebrew branch of the Jefferson club, were indicted by the federal grand jury Tuesday morning for complicity in naturalization frauds committed prior to the recent election.

Capt. Boyd appeared before Judge Adams and was admitted to bond in the sum of \$10,000. He waived the reading of the indictment and entered a plea of not guilty. The other indictments, containing about thirty counts, were returned against Boyd; five indictments against Weisman; and two additional against both Barrett and Dolan.

This brings the total number of indictments under which Barrett was indicted under the federal grand jury to 20, 18 having been previously returned. Four indictments were returned against Dolan on the same charge. Each in bond for \$10,000.

In addition to those mentioned, trial bills have been found against "Al" Morrow, confidential informant to Gov. Dockery, Policeman Frank Garrett and lesser political lights, who were identified with the Hebrew branch of the Jefferson club.

The fourth police district, over which Capt. Boyd formerly presided, is located in the central part of the city, largely populated with foreigners. It is here that the greatest naturalization frauds were committed.

Several indictments were returned against Capt. Boyd, the charge being that he personally aided and abetted in the fraudulent naturalization, and it is believed that many more indictments will be found against him before the federal grand jury finishes its labors.

Evidence of a most startling nature has been discovered, according to reports, against Capt. Boyd.

When the federal grand jury received a few weeks ago Judge Adams delivered vigorous instructions relative to the alleged naturalization frauds.

He told the jury to "get the men high up." He denounced naturalization frauds as one of the most serious crimes against Uncle Sam, and ordered the most rigid inquiry into them.

McGehee and the negroes have been working for the Mississippi Valley railroad. Recently complaint was made that some of them had contracted debts and refused to pay. Charges were filed, and Constable Snow went out to see the negroes. On his way he met McGee, a negro who was using McGee's name to keep away from the camp. Constable Snow arrested McGee and organized a posse. Near the camp the posse encountered 18 of the negroes and McGee, all heavily armed. Both sides fired, and a battle of 20 minutes resulted. The negroes and McGee finally lost their nerve and fled. The bodies of three negroes and several others wounded were picked up when the smoke cleared away.

DYNAMITE FOUND ON TRACK.

Six Sticks Found on the Northern Pacific Near the House of Representative Attempted Hold-Up.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 18.—Six sticks of dynamite were found on the Northern Pacific track near Birdseye, eight miles west of Helena, Thursday morning, an extra freight, eastbound, passed over the powder during the night, and it was exploded. It had been placed under the rail, the fish plates of which had been removed. Chief of Detectives McElride, who is in charge of the Northern Pacific division, and officers, left with a pack of bloodhounds soon after the finding of the powder was reported. He has not returned to the city and no report has been received.

Secretary Hay Has Busy Day.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Thursday was diplomatic day at the state department, and Secretary Hay saw more representatives of foreign governments than at any time since last spring. Minister Takahashi of Japan had a long interview with Mr. Hay in which the situation in the far east was discussed. The minister, when he asked if the situation was more peaceful, said it was not so imminent as it had been.

An Experiment in Co-Operation.

New York, Oct. 21.—As its first experiment in co-operation, the United Brotherhood of Cigar Makers, the New York local of the United Brotherhood of Cigar Makers' union, has opened a factory, and store in Eldridge street.

SUBSIDY OF A MURDER SUSPECT

John Williams, a Negro, Arrested in Connection With the Murder of Mrs. Lauman, Murderer.

STRANGLING HIMSELF IN A CELL IN THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY JAIL.

He Had Intimated That There Were Negroes Concerned in the Crime—Said He Thought to Have Been Prompted by Fears of Death at the Hands of Lynchers.

St. Louis, Oct. 20.—Apparently fearing that an attempt was about to be made to lynch him for the murder and robbery of Mrs. Kate Lauman, John Williams, the negro suspect arrested Saturday night, committed suicide, Sunday morning, in his cell in the Clayton jail.

Williams choked himself to death with a strip of blanket two feet long and six inches wide that he had torn off one of the ones which had been in the Clayton jail.

Fire was discovered in the sheriff's evidence room Monday afternoon. The volunteer fire department responded to the alarm summoned by means of a bell just over the scaffold.

The real cause of the jail. The turmoil that followed could be plainly heard by the prisoners, and it is supposed that Williams feared a lynching party.

This belief is strengthened by the fact that when his body was found, nearly four hours later, it was not yet cold.

George Lauman Found the Body. The discovery of the suicide was made by George Lauman, a son of the murdered woman; Deputy Sheriff O'Leary and Jailer Roth. Lauman left his home early in the morning, hoping he could get some statement from the Clayton prisoner relative to the mystery that surrounded his mother's death.

When the trio went into the jail they found the negro lying on his back on the floor, with the strip of blanket pulled so tightly that it cut into his skin.

Williams tied the strip around his neck with a single knot, and then pulled until he lost consciousness. The negro was in a cell on the first floor of the jail, where there are about eighteen other negroes, but none of them, until the discovery of the body, was aware of what had happened.

He Can Tell Any More. Chief Hencken regretted that Williams had killed himself, as he had hoped to get some important information from him yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Schnecko arrested the negro Saturday evening, and took him to Clayton, where he had been identified by Harvey Shannon and Lincoln Seales as the man who killed the postman a revolver within a half hour after the murder occurred.

He met Sheriff Hencken in the Holladay building, where he took the prisoner, whom he examined until nearly midnight. He then took him to Clayton, and examined him until one o'clock Sunday morning.

Others Implicated. Williams at first feigned drunkenness, and told the officers that he had been with the man who killed the postman. Later he said he was one of the men who were implicated in the murder, and promised to tell more.

The negro said that he had worked for the Marshall Asphalt Co. until Wednesday noon. He admitted being in the vicinity of the tragedy when it occurred.

SMART PAIR OF OFFICERS.

They Permitted A. R. Bell, the Confederate Mail Coach Robber, to Escape.

Philadelphia, Oct. 18.—A. R. Bell, the confessed mail coach robber and forger, who was arrested in Denver, Colo., escaped from a Pullman car, Monday, just before the train to which it was attached arrived at the Pennsylvania railroad station here. Bell was in the custody of two United States deputy marshals on his way to the marshal's office in this city. He made an excuse to go to the wash-room, and after locking himself in, opened the window and made his escape. The police officers were notified and they are searching for Bell. Bell was also known as Crook and Hammer. After his arrest in Denver he admitted having stolen a mail pouch from a Pennsylvania railroad train. The pouch was in transit from Harrisburg, Pa., and appeared on September 8. It contained a large number of checks for small amounts, which later came back to the bank. When it was learned that he had been raised to large amounts. The authorities assert that Bell must have realized nearly a half-million dollars by this robbery.

Albert Beckmann Captured.

Buffalo, Mont., Oct. 17.—Albert Beckmann, who killed Helen Kelly, a former sweetheart, here Thursday, was captured by Sheriff Quinn. Beckmann was escaping on a hand car when a rifle brought him to a halt. A heavy force of deputies has been sent to the prisoner, but no lynching is feared.

To Be Occupied by Coonacks.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 20.—A telegram from Port Arthur says that the town of Rodonov on the Sushaga river, Manchuria, has been surprised by Coonacks and that a detachment of Coonacks has been sent to occupy it.

TRUST COMPANY FAILURE

The Maryland Trust Co., of Baltimore, in Hands of a Receiver.

Embarrassment Said to Be Due to Efforts to Finance the Vera Cruz & Pacific Railroad.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 20.—Allan McLane has been appointed receiver for Maryland Trust Co., of Baltimore, a bank with \$2,000,000 in assets. The receiver was appointed on application of John S. Gittings & Co., bankers of this city. The officials of the Maryland Trust Co. are preparing a detailed statement of the causes of the failure of that company which they will make public later. It is understood that the embarrassment is due chiefly to an effort to finance the Vera Cruz & Pacific railroad.

A GOOD DIVIDEND PAYER.

The Company Said to Have Paid Eighteen Per Cent Dividend.

The Maryland Trust Co., of Baltimore, was capitalized at \$1,250,000 and in a recent report, the surplus was said to be \$2,457,000 and undivided profits \$1,815,000. The company made an effort last week to float a loan of \$3,000,000 in London. In 1902, the company paid 18 per cent dividend.

UNION TRUST CO. TWO.

The Union Trust Co. Has Also Closed Its Doors.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 20.—The Union Trust Co. closed its doors at 1:15 p. m. Monday. The company has been in the hands of a receiver since the company was organized. The company's receiver, White filed a bill of \$1,000,000.

Miles White, Jr., who is the vice-president of the Union Trust Co. and who has been appointed receiver, states that the closing of the doors of that company was due to a run upon it by depositors in consequence of the announcement of the failure of the Maryland Trust Co. It is stated that there are no business connections whatever between the two suspended companies.

The officers of the Union Trust Co. are: President, Richard B. Bell; Vice-President, Charles B. Bell; Secretary, Charles B. Bell; Treasurer, Charles B. Bell; and Cashier, Charles B. Bell.

Failure of the Union Trust Co.

New York, Oct. 20.—The Union Trust Co. of Baltimore, according to a recent statement, had a paid-up capital of \$1,000,000, a surplus of \$250,000, and undivided profits of \$150,000. The Union Trust Co. had on deposit, when its last statement was issued, \$1,350,000. Its loans were \$1,415,000.

A BARREL FULL OF MISCHIEF

It Reported to Be Empty, But a Dangerous Content.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 18.—Leslie Hickman, Slater, was injured in a strange way Friday. He had bought an empty whiskey barrel from a local drug store and took it home to fill it with cider. He was carrying it a hole in the empty barrel with a red-hot poker it exploded with a report that was heard a mile. The top of the barrel was partly blown off and Hickman was wounded in the face and breast, but not fatally.

MRS. GULLER HAS A HEARING

The Alleged Murderess of Edward C. Guller, at St. Louis, Mo., Will Be Heard.

Bunker Hill, Ill., Oct. 18.—Mrs. Ida Guller, who is charged with the murder of her husband, Edward C. Guller, by poisoning, July 27, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff William P. Higgins, Friday, on a bench warrant. She was given a preliminary hearing and released on \$2,000 bail. She was readily furnished by wealthy relatives.

PEARLS IN WABASH RIVER.

Residents of Maude Discover Thousands of Ten Thousand Troops.

Carmel, Ill., Oct. 20.—For several weeks the people of Maude, a small town on the Wabash river, have been greatly excited over the finding of many valuable pearls, ranging in value from \$10 to \$250. The river is a veritable sea of pearls and scores are at work securing mussel shells. The price of shells has risen from \$4 to \$15 per ton, and an experienced man can find a pearl in a shell. Farmers find it difficult to get farm hands.

TRAIN ROBBERY IN RUSSIA.

A Passenger Train Held Up and Robbed Near Danzberg and Pleskow.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 18.—Ten men successfully held up a passenger train between Danzberg and Pleskow, 162 miles from this city, during Friday night. The train was on the coast of the coast, and the robbers were on the coast. The robbers were on the coast, and the train was on the coast. The robbers were on the coast, and the train was on the coast.

Week's Shortage.

Youngstown, O., Oct. 18.—The Ohio plant of the Carnegie Steel Co., which employs 2,000 hands, will shut down all its departments for one week, unless the condition of the market improves.

First Killing Frost in Kansas.

Chillicothe, Mo., Oct. 17.—The first killing frost in this fall fell in Clay county last night. Corn was out of danger.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY LINE

Greatest Diplomatic Success of United States in a Century.

THE PRESIDENT AND CABINET HIGHLY PLEASED WITH RESULT.

The Territory, the Coast From Whose This Has Been Removed, Considered as the Having the Greatest Possibilities, and One Which, in a Few Years, Will Be a Very Prosperous Country.

Washington, Oct. 21.—At the meeting of the cabinet Tuesday hearty congratulations were exchanged between the president and his advisers over the suit of the deliberations of the Alaskan boundary commission. Secretary Hay presented the decision of the commission as stated in the official dispatches to the state department. The decision itself indicates more clearly than anything else how complete the American victory is. By the president and the cabinet the result achieved by the American commission is regarded as a great and away the greatest diplomatic success the United States has had for a generation. It is pointed out that the great possibility of the commission is to this country for all time the only spot on earth concerning which there was any question about the boundaries of the United States. This government is regarded as having been vindicated completely.

So confident were the president and the members of the cabinet in the justice of their contention regarding the Alaskan boundary that they were perfectly willing to refer the matter to any properly constituted commission for final decision. The award made by the tribunal which has just completed its work is believed fully to justify the confidence of the administration in the correctness of the American claims.

President Roosevelt and the members of his cabinet were jubilant over the decision, particularly as it removes any cloud from the title of the United States to any part of the Alaskan territory in dispute.

They regard that territory as one of the greatest possibilities, and one which in perhaps a few years will be very populous country. The president who always has been deeply interested in the development of the northwest, indicated to the cabinet how much the decision meant to the entire belt of territory along the Canadian border.

Both the president and the members of the cabinet expressed surprise and cordial appreciation of the lofty and far-sighted position taken by Justice Alverstone, the British member of the tribunal.

Refuse to Be Fooled by King and Accept Situation Greatly.

London, Oct. 21.—The Canadians feel very sore over the outcome. They most openly condemn Lord Alverstone's decision. When the latter presented them to King Edward at Buckingham palace Tuesday the kind and generous words of the monarch and Alverstone to say they were satisfied or that they accepted the situation, but the two Canadians declined to do so in any way express acquiescence with this view. They simply shook hands and bowed formally. One of the Canadian commissioners afterward said: "While we are realistic men, we cannot but feel that the relations between the Dominion and the mother country than people here seem to realize, and almost mark the beginning of the wars, at least far as leaving any amount for England to decide for us."

A LAW DECLARED INVALID.

The Iowa Anti-Compact Law Declared Invalid by a Federal Judge at St. Paul.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Des Moines, Ia., says Judge Smith Matheson of the federal court has rendered an opinion in which he holds the anti-compact law placed on the statute books of Iowa in 1898 is invalid and such insurance companies have as good a right to combine as any other commercial interests. The opinion is of far-reaching importance, affecting every company in the state 85 of which asked an injunction restraining the state auditor from enforcing the law. The law prohibited two or more companies entering an agreement to fix rates.

BANK BUILDING WRECKED.

Robbers Saw Open the Bank at Pleasantdale, Neb. But Got No Loot.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 21.—Robbers blew open the bank at Pleasantdale, Neb. But got no loot. The robbers were on the coast, and the train was on the coast. The robbers were on the coast, and the train was on the coast.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 20.—Senior J. Tuero y O'Donnell, Spanish consul at New Orleans, has accepted the position of Spanish consul general at the St. Louis office.

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 Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. *This signature.* **E. W. Sargent**
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LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

Notice to Railroad Men.

Your subscription to the Railroad Edition will be due this pay day, and all who not paid for same will please do so this pay day or as soon thereafter as possible.

Willis Foster.

Jas. Willis, formerly a fireman on this division, was married yesterday to Miss Allie Foster, of Nashville, at the residence of the bride's parents. The young people are well and favorably known.

Perkins-Standfield.

Mr. Perkins, of Clarksville, Tenn., and Miss Maggie May Standfield, also of that city, were united in matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents last Sunday. Mr. Perkins is an estimable young man. Mrs. Perkins is the popular daughter of Engineer W. J. Standfield, who has charge of the engine at Empire.

The Louisville and Nashville railroad shops in Louisville, which are to be the largest in the United States, with the possible exception of the Rock Island shops at Moline, Ill., are going up rapidly. Sixteen acres of buildings are already under roof and there are now more than 4,000 tons of steel on the grounds. The shops and other buildings will cover sixty acres when completed.

G. W. Kirkham, a car repairer at Howell, had the misfortune to break one of his ribs the other day.

Scale Repairer E. J. Lillierap went to East St. Louis on business last week.

A certain fireman on the St. Louis Division did not feel disposed to fire a certain engine, with the result that he got fired. Mr. Leo Hurd has returned from a visit to Louisville.

F. M. Fuller of Earlington has secured a position as car repairer at Howell.

Fireman E. F. Hulgeman of the St. Louis Division has resigned an account of sickness of his wife.

Wm. Tollman of the St. Louis Car Wheel Co., spent a few days at the Howell shops last week.

Fireman Theo. Schmidt is now running extra switch engine in Howell yard.

Fireman N. A. Haley has resigned on account of ill health. The boys have commenced wearing their winter uniforms.

Thursday October 15th closed the 40th year of Master Mechanic Thomas Walsh's connection with the L. & N. Railroad. That is a record to be proud of.

A pair of trucks jumping the track near Carmi on the night of the 15th, delayed 54 several hours and also delayed the Texas several hours in getting out of Evansville the next morning.

John L. Davis, of the Howell shops, and Miss Emma Wells, both of Evansville, were united in marriage on the night of the 14th by the Rev. A. L. Bennett, of the Simpson M. E. church. They will reside at 415 Eleventh Avenue, Evansville.

Engineer W. R. Crowder is figuring on taking a trip to St. Augustine, Fla., with his family sometime this month.

When an engine gets off the track it needs a "jacking up."

D. W. Sargent of Guthrie has secured a position at Howell.

Wm. Goff, the Earlington caller, has been transferred to Guthrie, where he will take charge as switch fireman in place of A. C. Beall, who recently left there to enter the transportation department as brakeman. Mr. Goff has been anxious to fire for the past year and will certainly make a success.

The 999, after being born again, has been returned to Bakers Hill. The 998 will be next.

If Andrew Carnegie cannot afford to enter a saloon nor let the contents of a saloon enter him, neither can any reader of Locomotive Blasts.

The new General Foreman at Howell shops has taken up quarters in the office formerly occupied by the St. Louis Division train master.

A certain man on the Henderson Division, has so much cheek that a barber undertook to charge him extra for a shave the other day.

Mrs. Adah Rank, after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Curnick, in Evansville, sometime, has returned to Nashville to reside with her son, who is now in the paymaster's department of the L. & N.

Fireman C. B. Warren while firing engine 998 on 67 night of Oct. 13th stuck his head so far out of the window that he got something in his eye, which, after he arrived at Nashville, obliged him to lay off a few days. According to this it does not always pay to look out—at any rate, not too much at a time.

A. Philbrick, superintendent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central railroad, with headquarters in this city, has been transferred to the Omaha division with headquarters in Omaha says Monday's Courier-Journal. A. H. Egan, superintendent of the Chicago division, has been appointed to succeed him. The appointment was effective Friday, and Mr. Egan arrived in Louisville yesterday to take charge of the office. Mr. Philbrick will leave for Omaha to-morrow.

The Sick.

Miss Lizzie Dean one of Earlington's most popular young ladies is on the sick list this week. She will be missed at central.

Mayor Burr was quite ill Monday with stomach trouble but is considerably better now.

Roy Parker has been ill with a very sore throat this week. He is confined to his bed.

Designer Fife ought to build an ice yacht. It might win when the Atlantic freezes over.

SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is flesh and blood, bone and muscle. It feeds the nerves, strengthens the digestive organs and they feed the whole body.

For nearly thirty years Scott's Emulsion has been the great giver of human flesh.

We will send you a couple of ounces free.

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MINING NOTES.

The Yellow Creek Coal & Lumber Company of Middleboro, Ky., has purchased and will develop 20,000 acres of coal lands in several mountain counties of the State.

J. E. Cloren of the No. 11 mine has resigned his position and moved to Nashville, Tenn., where he will engage in business.

In making her general mining exhibit at the World's Fair, Virginia will erect a house entirely from stone mined within the state's borders. In addition to the building, there will be another classified exhibit embracing all minerals and precious stones abounding in the State. The cost of the materials and construction of the building is estimated at \$100,000.

The Columbia mine in Crittenden county is working to the full capacity of its concentrating plant and is turning out some four tons of high grade zinc blend and one ton of lead per day. The weekly output will amount to \$1,100 or at the rate of \$37,000 per annum.

The road for the new motor in the No. 9 mine which is being laid by Mr. George Miller and crew is nearing completion and it is expected that it will be ready for use in a few weeks.

A movement is on foot among capitalists in New York and Philadelphia to consolidate all coal companies in central West Virginia into one gigantic combine, with a capital of \$50,000,000.

Four hundred and forty thousand acres of high grade bituminous coal lands in Indian Territory will be sold at auction by the federal government within the next two years. These lands now belong to the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians. Experience has proved that the coal vein averages four feet in thickness, or 4,000 feet to the acre.

The production of anthracite coal in September was 4,654,444 tons. This compares with the average monthly production of the previous eight months of 5,304,000 or a loss of twelve per cent.

Bennie Cox, a driver in the Sebree Coal Company mines, got his arm caught between a car and the wall of an entry one day, last week and broke both bones of his arm between the wrist and the elbow. He received prompt medical attention and the injured limb is doing as well as could be expected.

Many Mothers of Like Opinion.

Mrs. Plimer, of Cordova, Iowa, says: "One of my children was subject to croup of a severe type, and the giving of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly, always brought relief. Many mothers in this neighborhood think the same as I do about this remedy and want no other kind for their children."

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; B. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; John N. Taylor, Earlington.

Notice of Meeting of Creditors.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 21, 1908. In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky.

In the matter of David Harwitz, IN BANKRUPTCY.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of the above named bankrupt that a meeting of said creditors has been called, and will be held at the office of C. E. Morton, Madisonville, Ky., on the 31st day of October, A. D., 1908, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, for the purpose of providing for the expenses of administration, and paying such a dividend on their claims allowed herein as may be proper, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. I. LINDSEY, Referee in Bankruptcy.

HUGHES' CHILL TONIC

Better than Calomel and Quinine. Contains no Arsenic. The Old Reliable.

EXCELLENT GENERAL TONIC

As well as a Sure Cure for Chills and Fevers, Malarial Fevers, Swamp Fevers and Bilious Fevers. Just what you need at this season.

IT NEVER FAILS: Mild Laxative, Nervous Sedative, Splendid Tonic.

Guaranteed. Try It. Don't take any substitutes. All Druggists, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

SUCCESS—WORTH KNOWING.

"Forty years' success in the South proves Hughes' Tonic a grand remedy for Chills and all Malarial Fevers."

LOOK! A STITCH IN TIME

Saves time. Hughes' Tonic (stitch placed in early spring and fall) prevents Chills, Dengue and Malarial Fevers, and on the liver, tones up the system.

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Louisville, Ky.

COMMERCIAL DEPRESSION.

Hard Times Ahead in the Commercial Centers—The South and West Sound.

James Creelman, the well known newspaper correspondent and noted seer, with prophetic vision, quotes an unnamed captain of finance and trade as follows:

Not a captain of speculation, but a great financier, one of the foremost men of the continent—a man whose name would be instantly recognized throughout the world for its commanding authority in the financial and commercial affairs of America—said to me yesterday:

"You ask me whether the worst stage in the present commercial depression has been reached. I can scarcely trust myself to answer, for, if I speak at all, I must speak the truth as I know it. The fact is that we are at the very beginning of industrial hard times. This country will sweat blood before many months, and before the year is over it is likely that hundreds of thousands of men who are now employed will be idle. We are only catching glimpses of the steep part of the down grade. Before we get to the real bottom the country will know what industrial agony is."

"The great West and a large portion of the South is sound. Wherever people are engaged in agriculture, wherever they are looking to the soil for their living, all is well, for nature has been generous and there is always a market for grain, provisions and cotton abroad. The farmer of the West and South need have no fear, save those who have been speculating in stocks. Domestic conditions cannot ruin them, for, I repeat, the people of Europe must eat and wear clothes and the most important market for our agricultural products is abroad."

"But people have been crowding more and more into our Eastern cities. The industrial centers are overgrown. We are manufacturing more than we can sell. Gigantic industrial corporations are beginning to realize that they cannot pay dividends on hundreds of stocks that represent nothing but wud."

"What are the facts? The great railways of the country have been the chief customers of the Eastern industries. They have spent hundreds of millions of dollars in improvements in the past few years. The railroads are through ordering. Where are the new customers to come from?"

"Wages must be lowered and mills must be shut down. It is only the fear of speculative consequences in Wall street that prevents prompt action now."

"I tell you that the reconstruction, extension and improvement of the railway systems of the country have been the backbone of the industrial prosperity which has led to the inflation of securities in Wall street to hundreds of millions of dollars beyond their value. The railway systems have got through; they have anticipated business for many years. It is a crime to deceive the country any longer with false hopes of returning industrial prosperity."

"The only door of relief must be cut right through the tariff. By that door alone can we reach the markets necessary to support our overgrown industries. Before this time next year the country will have suffered enough to put it in a thinking condition. Dark days are at hand for the 'standpatters,' for the real situation can be no longer concealed."

For a pleasant physic take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant to take. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; John N. Taylor, Earlington.

It is stated that the "bomb of Emmet, the Irish patriot, has been discovered in St. Peter's Churchyard, Dublin."

RESTAURANT.

NESBIT & HILL,

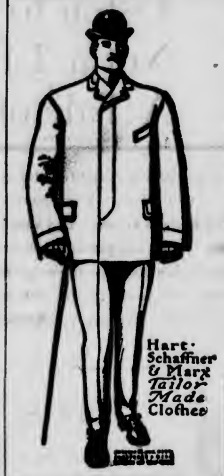
PROPRIETORS.

We are now prepared to serve meals on short notice day or night and respectfully solicit a share of your patronage. We also take boarders by the day, week or month. Our prices are reasonable. Oysters and other delicacies served in season. Call and see us. We guarantee to please.

Respectfully,

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H. S. & M. HIGH ART CLOTHING.

We are sole agents in Hopkins county for the two greatest lines of Clothing made in America—The H. S. & M. and Strouse Bros. High Art. We sell you these fine tailored garments as cheap as you can buy the usual ready-made suits.

Every Suit or Overcoat guaranteed as represented. We are also agents for the Dutchess Trousers. 10c for a button, \$1 for a rip.

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HARNED & OSBURN,
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We do all kinds of Plumbing and Heating at reasonable rates. Let us put a bath tub or steam heater in your house.

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That's what you need; something to cure your biliousness. You need Ayer's Pills.

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Subscribe for This Man.

Special Inducements This Week.

For the Buyers of Ready-to-Wear Garments both for Ladies and Men.



The lady in need of a good winter Skirt, either lined or unlined, will find us headquarters for this class of goods. We show the best number for \$1.00. That ever was made.

We show 60 Skirts this week in Blue, Black, Brown and Gray strictly all wool and trimmed hips, walking length, worth \$4.00. This week's price \$3.00.

We put on sale this week 150 Ladies' Jackets in Tan, Blue, Red and Oxford mixed in a half tight fitting coat for \$3.48. Real value \$4.98, which gives the purchaser a good saving. Better ones also shown at equally low prices. Come and see them.



Have you bought the little miss her new Winter Cloak? If not, do not fail to see the swell line shown by us this season, from the new box back short coat in Blue and Red, well trimmed with braid for \$1.00, to the new full length Zibelines, stoll end and cape effects, in all colors at \$5.00 each.

Don't Fail to See This Line.



Our Swell line of
MEN'S SUITS
—AND—
OVERCOATS

should not be overlooked. No mistaking their points of excellence—distinctive features disclosed at a glance. First of all, right materials, then the newest styles, then the highest grade of skilled workmanship.

Our \$10.00 line this year is the best we ever carried.



Your Boy will be well clothed if he wears one of our \$5.00 suits. None better elsewhere for \$6.50.

MORRIS KOHLMAN, Manager.

GRAND LEADER.

Madisonville, Kentucky.

From the Meat Shop.
Mary had a little lamb
Ten thousand years ago,
The chops we tried to eat today
Were from that lamb, I know.

GRAPEVINE ITEMS.

Timbermen and coal haulers are taking advantage of the fine roads now.

The saw mills below here that were closed down on account of lack of water have all resumed work.

Mrs. Ann Cox of Madisonville spent last week visiting relatives in this vicinity.

W. F. Barrow and wife visited at S. L. Todd's Sunday.

Ben Laffoon is having his house treated to a new coat of paint.

Leslie Laffoon is working for the Hopkins County Bank now.

The meeting which has been in progress at Bethlehem for the past two weeks closed a few days ago with five additions to the church. Eld. Sam I. Smith did the preaching.

There has been considerable frost in this section but so far little damage has been done.

Mary Belle Todd who was quite sick for several days is considerably improved.

Sadie Moore and family will move to the property near Madisonville now occupied by Add Fugate who will move to town soon.

Mrs. R. Martin of Greenville visited here a few days ago and was accompanied home by Mrs. E. J. Todd who will probably spend the winter there.

Miss Mayne Todd who has been visiting in Chicago and Peoria, Ill., and St. Louis, Mo. for the past two months returned home Sunday. While at the latter place she visited the World's Fair grounds and buildings.

A House Small but Artistic.

Can a house of moderate cost meet more than the practical needs of the day? This question is answered in a convincing affirmative by the house which is described and pictured in the November Delinestor. In spite of the limitations prescribed by economy, this house possesses a distinctive charm and refinement, in addition to the usual conveniences and comforts of the modern home. The interior finishing contributes a touch of originality, and the furnishings are artistic, while in certain portions of the house, to further the ends of economy, housewifely ingenuity has evolved some unique features. The illustrations of interior and exterior will be suggestive to home builders.

We want the news that happens here in Earlington and we also want our friends to help us obtain it. If you go anywhere, telephone THE BEE; if you have a friend visiting you, telephone THE BEE; if your neighbor is sick, telephone THE BEE; if you know of anyone that has been or is going anywhere, telephone THE BEE; no matter what happens, we want to know about it. It may seem trivial to you, when in reality it is a good news item. Don't forget we have a good telephone and are always ready to answer it.

A Good Word For a Good Ear.

Listen to Our Tale.
Not a Tale of Woe,
A Tale of Interest.

PERHAPS you have not heard of the beautiful stylish Walking Skirts we are showing from \$2.00 up to \$8.00. You may not have heard of the Up-to-Date Wraps we are offering at from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Box Coats Louis XIV, latest styles—no old stock to select from. Every one purchased this season. You may be a little skeptical about the price being so low for high-grade goods, but we wish to impress on you the fact that we do not mark our goods up and reduce the price to make you believe you are getting something for nothing. We give you **Something for Everything**.



THIS WEEK

We will show a beautiful line of Children's, Boy's Youth's and Men's Overcoats. Will only have them a few days, as they are sent to us on selection, and we return what we do not sell, thereby being able to sell on a small profit as we run no risk of carrying over our profits.

We give you value received for everything purchased from us.



We want your trade. We want you to begin with us and we will convince you that you will have reason to remain with us. If the parents cannot come to make the purchase send the children. We will give them the same attention and prices that we would give the oldest and shrewdest buyer—one price to all.



Don't Forget

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The Best On Earth.

J. M. VICTORY & CO.

COLORED NEWS.

EARLINGTON.

The news was crowded out last week on account of lack of space.

Rev. H. H. Gordon's fourth year's pastoral anniversary was quite a success. Several ministers showed their respect to Mr. Zion and her pastor by visiting the services and rendering aid. Following are the names: Reys. P. May, Jones, Whitesides, Garrett, Shanklin, Sebree, Gough, Hill.

The A. M. E. choir rendered services Sunday eve at the Mt. Zion Baptist church.

Rev. H. H. Hill preached his good bye sermon Sunday night. We wish his return for another year.

Rev. I. W. Selectman and R. Tague visited our city Sunday on business.

Rev. J. H. Gough is assisting Rev. Edmondson in a meeting this week at Crabtree.

Don't forget the rally at the A. M. E. Zion church Sunday for the new church. Every person is invited.

Mrs. Annie Pritchett visited her mother Monday in Madisonville.

Simon Dunlap was in Madisonville Monday.

Excellent services all day at all churches in the city Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Hays is improving some. Rev. H. Amos was in Hopkinsville last week on business. Reported a pleasant trip.

Mrs. Sally Waters, of Henderson, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hines.

Mrs. Leonor Baily was the guest of Mrs. S. Duncan Saturday and Sunday.

Revs. Gordon and Hill dined with Mrs. Hines at Arnold Wednesday. They reported the chicken good and ripe.

Mrs. Lou Baily is still improving of the injury she received from a fall last month.

Dr. J. D. Evans is visiting his sister at Nashville, Tenn. He will return in a few days.

MORTONS GAP.

Our Sunday school is growing more and more interesting. The golden text last Sunday Create in me a clean heart, O God, is one that should be thought of and remembered. Home readings were discussed by the following: Rev. H. Rodgers, J. T. Martin, J. E. Mitchell, Miss Baker and Mr. Wilcox.

We would like to know what has happened to our asst. supt. She has not appeared at Sunday school for five Sundays. Come out and help us in our work.

Eunice E. Hopson and Mrs. Lula Miller of Cadiz visited Mrs. Winnie Thompson last week.

Mrs. Laura Clemons and Lucell Hopson went to Madisonville Wednesday.

A little girl has come into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Broadie to cheer and brighten their lives.

Mrs. Florence Grey is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. N. S. Brown went to Madisonville shopping Saturday.

According to Corliss, all speech has something of song in it. But what we object to is the sing-song.

BRAVE OPERATOR

Saves a Train—Threatened With Death by Bandits He Crawled to Instrument

AND TELEGRAPHS A WARNING.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 17.—At an early hour this morning two masked mounted men rode up to the little station at Welsh's Spur, 20 miles east of this city, on the Northern Pacific, and covering the operator with their revolvers, drove him inside his office and locked him in. They turned the signal lights off so as to stop the North Coast limited, which was due in half an hour.

The operator, F. K. Law, a boy of 20, threatened with death if he moved, crawled on his hands and knees to the telegraph keys, and reaching from under the table, wired the operator at Homestead to tell the engineer of the North Coast not to stop, as the bandits meant to hold up the train at Welsh's Spur. The train went through the latter place at 40 miles an hour and the bandits then rode off. A posse took the trail at daylight.

In Memory of the Late James Tobin, the Following Lines are Written.

In Memory of James Tobin: Died September 29, 1903. Aurelia Tobin, Died October 2, 1903, of Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Tuesday, September 29, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock, the Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tobin, and called to rest one of its brightest inmates, Little James, aged thirteen.

He died of scarlet fever, was taken sick Sunday, September 20. He suffered intensely, but bore his sufferings patiently. He was such a bright and pleasant child and made friends everywhere. Many will miss his bright and cheerful face as he was kind to all alike; the poor, the aged all with whom he came in contact he had a pleasant word.

Precious boy, he has left us. Left us, yes, forevermore.

But we hope to meet our loved one On that bright and golden shore. Lonely the house and sad the hours Since our dear one has gone;

But oh a brighter home than ours In Heaven is now his own.

Friday, October 2, the Angel of Death again visited this home and this time Aurelia, the second daughter, the joy of all who knew her, was called to her Heavenly home.

She was fifteen years old last August, and should have lived until next June she would have graduated. She was a talented musician even at this early date.

At Louisville the Central Labor union, instead of realizing money for its building fund for a labor temple, on account of the carnival given last month, came out in debt about \$600.